

Construction of Keystone XL Pipeline to resume despite coronavirus and environmental threats



Ottawa, April 8 (RHC)-- In environmental news, construction on the Keystone XL pipeline is set to resume.

Officials in Alberta, Canada, said they would hand over more than \$1 billion to TC Energy — formerly known as TransCanada — so that construction can continue, even though it risks putting construction workers and residents on the pipeline's path — many of them from indigenous communities — at heightened risk for contracting the coronavirus.

South Dakota and several other states recently passed new laws criminalizing protests against pipelines.

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